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20 February 1948

MEMORANDUM TO: The Director of Central Intelligence

THROUGH: Assistant Director, Reports and Estimates

SUBJECT: Final Report of the Ad Hoc Committee

REFERENCE: NSC-ID No. 3

1. There is submitted herewith for transmittal to the Intelligence Advisory Committee the Final Report of the Ad Hoc Committee appointed to formulate the NIS Program in accordance with the basic intelligence requirements of IAB No. 1 (superseded by NSC-ID No. 3).

2. This Committee met on 25 September 1947 and adjourned on 20 February 1948 to await further instructions of the convening authority. Among the recommendations submitted is provision for a standing committee, called the NIS Committee, composed of representatives from State, Army, Navy, Air Force and CIA, which would take the place of the present Ad Hoc Committee.

3. Full implementation of the NIS Program requires:

- a. Approval of the Ad Hoc Committee Final Report
- b. Appointment of the NIS Committee
- c. Agreement between CIA and IAC Agencies regarding financial support of the NIS Program. Recommendations respecting this matter are covered by separate memorandum.

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Chief, Basic Intelligence Group
and
Chairman, Ad Hoc Committee

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